

FORM PTO-1449	U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 122.1046CD	APPLICATION NO. 09/414,547
<b>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT</b>  <i>(Use several sheets if necessary)</i>		FIRST NAMED INVENTOR Tokimori TOMITA et al.	
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OTHER REFERENCES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)			TRANSLATION YES NO	
	AA	Office Action dated December 31, 2007 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 10/603,832		
	AB	Office Action dated October 1, 2007 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 10/603,832		
	AC	Office Action dated June 16, 2007 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 10/603,832		
	AD	Office Action dated November 30, 2006 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 10/603,832		
	AE	Office Action dated May 2, 2006 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 10/603,832		
	AF	Office Action dated September 15, 2005 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 10/603,832		
	AG	Office Action dated January 27, 2005 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 10/603,832		

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	BA	Office Action dated May 15, 1997 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 08/187,543		
	BB	Office Action dated November 29, 1996 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 08/187,543		
	BC	Office Action dated March 25, 1996 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 08/187,543		
	BD	Office Action dated July 20, 1995 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 08/187,543		
	BE	Office Action dated April 1, 2005 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 08/864,762		
	BF	Office Action dated January 12, 2004 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 08/864,762		
	BG	Office Action dated May 28, 2003 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 08/864,762		
	BH	Office Action dated October 15, 2002 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 08/864,762		
	BI	Office Action dated December 4, 2001 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 08/864,762		
	BJ	Office Action dated April 13, 2001 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 08/864,762		
	BK	Office Action dated August 2, 1999 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 08/864,762		

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	CA	Office Action dated February 17, 1999 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 08/864,762		
	CB	Office Action dated June 23, 2009 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 11/444,317		
	CC	Office Action dated December 11, 2008 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 11/444,317		
	CD	Office Action dated April 2, 2008 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 11/444,317		
	CE	Office Action dated August 6, 2009 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 11/583,812		
	CF	Office Action dated December 12, 2008 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 11/583,812		
	CG	Office Action dated April 4, 2008 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 11/583,812		
	CH	Office Action dated August 6, 2009 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 10/603,832		
	CI	Office Action dated February 10, 2009 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 10/603,832		
	CJ	Office Action dated November 24, 2008 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 10/603,832		
	CK	Office Action dated July 15, 2008 for corresponding U.S. Serial No. 10/603,832		

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